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The Honorable Denise L. Cote  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

**Re: United States v. William Jimenez  
20 CR 122 (DLC)**

Dear Judge Cote:

In response to the Court's July 14 order, I write to provide an update on the status of William Jimenez's case. The parties are currently engaged in the mitigation and plea negotiation process, working towards a pretrial resolution. While a resolution has not yet been reached, the parties hope to have an update for the Court regarding a plea or trial within the next few weeks.

With the Government's consent, I respectfully request setting a deadline of September 3 to inform the Court by letter of whether the parties have reached a pretrial resolution or if Mr. Jimenez will be proceeding with trial in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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*Granted.*  
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